

WHEREAS, surveyors are counted among the founding leaders of our country and were instrumental in the formation of the layout of property boundaries in the United States which have provided our citizens the enjoyment of property ownership; and

WHEREAS, George Washington and Thomas Jefferson, both former Presidents of the United States, served their fellow colonists as surveyors; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Florida recognize the valuable contributions of the surveying profession to history, development, and quality of life in Florida and the United States of America and make important decisions based on the knowledge and experts of licensed surveyors and mappers; and

WHEREAS, the surveying profession requires special education, training, the knowledge of mathematics, the related physical and applied sciences, and requirements of law for evidence; and

WHEREAS, surveyors are uniquely qualified and licensed to determine and describe land and water boundaries for the management of natural resources and protection of private and public property rights; and

WHEREAS, the continual advancements in instrumentation have required the surveyor not only to be able to understand and implement the methods of the past, but also to learn and employ modern technology in finding solutions to meet the challenges of the future.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Davie do hereby proclaim the week of March 13th through the 19th, 2005 as:

“SURVEYORS’ WEEK”

in the Town of Davie and urge citizens to recognize the many contributions and the ongoing dedication of surveyors to the citizens of Florida and the United States.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 2nd day of March, 2005.

Tom Truex, Mayor

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